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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 6, line 6, after "for example" insert --between 50° and 75° C. approximately, in particular--.

Column 27, line 8, which is line 17 of claim 22, change "45°" to --55°--;
line 17, which is line 26 of claim 22, change "*cDNA strand, followed by*" to --*cDNA single strand, followed by*--;
line 20, which is line 28 of claim 22, after "*f) denaturing the double-stranded cDNA*" insert --*to form cDNA single strands*--;
line 21, which is line 29 of claim 22, change "*the cDNA strands*" to --*the cDNA single strands*--;
line 41, which is line 2 of claim 27, change "*immunodeficiency*" to --*immunodeficiency*--;
line 55, which is line 3 of claim 32, change "*about 50°*" to --*55°*--; and
line 57, which is line 2 of claim 33, after "*permitted to hybridize with the first cDNA*" insert --*single*--.

Column 28, line 24, which is line 22 of claim 37, change "*cDNA strand, followed by*" to --*cDNA single strand, followed by*--;
line 26, which is line 24 of claim 37, after "*f) denaturing the double-stranded cDNA*" insert --*to form cDNA single strands*--;
line 27, which is line 25 of claim 37, change "*the cDNA strands*" to --*the cDNA single strands*--;
line 56, which is line 3 of claim 45, change "*form*" to --*from*--; and
line 58, which is line 2 of claim 46, after "*second cDNA*" insert --*strand*--.

Column 30, line 6, which is line 28 of claim 50, change "*cDNA strand, followed by*" to --*cDNA single strand, followed by*--; and
line 21, which is line 2 of claim 53, change "*vrius*" to --*virus*--.

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